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## TRANSMITTAL LETTER

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Dear Sir:

Applicants hereby submit the following documents to be filed with the United States Patent and Trademark Office:

- Amendment and Response to Final Office Action, Mailed October 6, 2005; and
- Return receipt postcard.

Please date stamp and return the enclosed postcard evidencing receipt of these materials.

Date: December 2, 2005

Applicants believe that there are no fees due in association with this filing of this Response. However, should the Commissioner deem that any fees are due, including any fees for extensions of time, Applicants respectfully request that the Commissioner accept this as a petition therefor, and direct that any additional fees be charged to the Deposit Account of Halliburton Energy Services, Inc., No. 08-0300.

Respectfully submitted,

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## AMENDMENT AND RESPONSE UNDER 37 C.F.R. § 1.113 TO FINAL OFFICE ACTION, MAILED OCTOBER 6, 2005

Sir:

In response to the Final Office Action mailed on October 6, 2005 (the "Final Office Action"), Applicants submit this response and respectfully request reconsideration of the Examiner's rejections. Because this response has been filed within two months of when the Final Office Action was issued, Applicants respectfully request that the Examiner issue an advisory action if the Examiner does not find the claims to be allowable in light of the amendments and remarks made herein.

Please amend the above-identified application as follows:

- Amendments to the Claims are reflected in the listing of claims that begins on page 3 of this paper.
- Remarks/Arguments begin on page 6 of this paper.
- Summary begins on page 12 of this paper.